# House of Representatives

#### Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 3 public bills, H.R. 3281–3283; 1 private bill, H.R. 3284; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 173–174, and H. Res. 408 were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1772, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain interests in the Waihee Marsh for inclusion in the Oahu National Wildlife Refuge Complex, amended (H. Rept. 104–528); and

H.R. 1836, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, New York, for inclusion in the Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge (H. Rept. 104–529).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Funderburk to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Late Report: Conferees received permission to have until midnight tonight to file a conference report on H.R. 3019, making appropriations for fiscal year 1996 to make a further downpayment toward a balanced budget.

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Committee Resignations: Read the following letters of resignation:

Letter from Representative Engel wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities and the Committee on International Relations; and Pages H3655–56

Letter from Representative Thompson wherein he resigns as a member of the Committee on Small Business.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 408, electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 2:00 p.m. and adjourned at 2:15 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education held a hearing on National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke; the National Institute on Mental

Health; the National Institute on Drug Abuse; and the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Health and Human Services; Zach W. Hall, M.D., Director, National Institute on Neurological Disorders and Stroke; Stephen M. Hyman, M.D., Director, National Institute of Mental Health; Alan I. Leshner, M.D., Director, National Institute on Drug Abuse; and Enoch Gordis, M.D., Director, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

ROE v. WADE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held an oversight hearing regarding the origins and scope of *Roe* v. *Wade.* Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

#### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1996 Senate

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Agriculture, 10 a.m., SD–138.

Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy, 10 a.m., SD–116.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the status of assets held in Swiss banks deposited by European Jews and others in the years preceding the Holocaust, 10 a.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs, Foreign Commerce, and Tourism, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Consumer Product Safety Commission, 9:30 a.m., SR–253.

Committee on Environment and Public Works, to hold hearings on S. 1285, to reauthorize and amend the Comprehensive Environmental Recovery, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 (Superfund), 9:30 a.m., SD–406.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold hearings on the nominations of Prudence Bushnell, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya, Charles O. Cecil, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger, David C. Halsted, of Vermont, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad, Morris N. Hughes, Jr., of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi, Tibor P. Nagy, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guinea, Dane Farnsworth Smith, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal, George F. Ward, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic